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etiquette of Audiences.

A question of the etiquette of audiences arose once in New York when the Symphony society's concert was given. Mr. Joseffy played the second Brahms concerto, which threw the audience in to a state of intense enthusiasm. He was called out a dozen times, and yet the orchestra was not to be out of range.

thing [12] in one year from day of sale, one-third [13] in two years from day of sale. Deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on premises sold, and to bear interest six [14] per cent. per annum.

SHERIFF, Allen County, Ohio.  
Lima, Ohio, April 17, 1906  
Mutter & MacKenzie, plaintiffs's attorneys.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

Finally Mr. Danrosch, the conductor, made as if to proceed with the pro-

gramme, but the audience kept up their applause. Mr. Dammrosch waved his baton and began the next number. The sounds of the orchestra were drowned, however, by the noise of the audience. Mr. Dammrosch then rapped sharply upon his desk, and the musicians and the audience both became silent. He turned to the

audience and gave them a sharp rebuke for the manner in which they had conducted themselves, saying to them that

acted as a pianist, no matter how much he might have pleased them, to add to his exhausting labors after playing such a concerto was neither an appreciation of his art nor an evidence of good manners. The audience very sensibly accepted the rebuke, and the performance went on.

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**Notice to Contractors.**

The Board of Education of Bath township, Allen county, Ohio will receive sealed bids up to 1 o'clock on the 25th day of April, 1906, at the Office of the Township Clerk of said township for the erection of a brick school house in district No. 4.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the clerk's office of said township. Parties desiring to bid, work are invited to

Twenty-nine hundred and twenty	and twenty
(2290), appraised at \$100 00	
Twenty-nine hundred and twenty	and twenty
(2291), appraised at \$100 00	
Twenty-nine hundred and forty	and forty
(2292), appraised at \$100 00	
Twenty-nine hundred and forty-one	and forty-one
(2293), appraised at \$200 00	
Twenty-nine hundred and forty-two	and forty-two

examine the material now on the ground and will be expected to use the same so far as it can be done to make a first-class job in accordance with the specifications.

cordance with the specifications. And this will be required to accompany them. And with such a contract, the bid in event their bid is accepted they will enter into a contract to perform the work in accordance therewith. All bids must state the cost of the work and material specified in the specifications. Whoever is awarded the right to reject any and all bids. The party or parties to whom the contract is awarded will be required to furnish the following bonds:

As appraised at \$150 00
Twenty nine hundred and fifty-six
appraised at \$30 00
Twenty nine hundred and eighty
appraised at \$150 00
Twenty nine hundred and fifty nine
appraised at \$250 00
Twenty nine hundred and fifty six
appraised at \$250 00
Twenty nine hundred and fifty six

Twenty nine hundred and sixty-four

the parties whom they will give a security upon the said bond. The work required to be done must be completed on or before September 1. 1906.

Bids are to be opened on Tuesday, April 24th, at 12 o'clock p.m.

By order of the Board of Education,  
J. K. DOUGLASS, Township Clerk

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

Ex. Doc. 2.	Case No. 557.	Page 1.
John R. Williams, Plaintiff,	vs	Allen
G T Richardson, et al., Defendants.		11cs.
By virtue of an order of sale, issued from		

the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county Ohio on

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ALLER COUNTY, OHIO.

SATURDAY, MAY 23rd, A. D 1898,

between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock  
p. m. the following described lands and tenements,  
situate on St. Johns avenue, in Lima,  
Aller County, State of Ohio, and described  
as follows, to wit:

Lot number twelve [32] in Jane W. Holmes'  
4267, appraised at \$50 00.

Forty-three hundred and eighteen  
appraised at \$75 00.

Forty-three hundred and nineteen  
appraised at \$75 00.

Forty-three hundred and twenty  
appraised at \$75 00.

Forty-three hundred and twenty  
appraised at \$75 00.

sub division of the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of section six (6), township four (4) south, range seven (7) east  
 (4293), appraised at \$50.00  
 Forty three hundred and twenty

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

Case No 7570.

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between the hours of one (1) o'clock and four (4) o'clock p. m. the following described lands

and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

A part of the northwest corner 1/4 of section numbered six (6) in township number 36 north range number six (6) east, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point twenty (20) feet west and seventy (70) feet south of the southeast corner of the northwest corner of section numbered six (6) in township number 36 north range number six (6) east, and thence

Thirty-seven hundred and nine (3719); appraised at \$60.00

Thirty-nine hundred and four (3904); appraised at \$60.00

Forty-two hundred and six (4206); appraised at \$60.00

The west half of inlet two thousand fifty two (4252); appraised at \$100.00

A parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

corner of the northwest quarter (14) of said section number thirty-six (36); thence west along the north line of Elm Street, in the city of Hamilton, point south of west line of out-

the number two hundred and twenty nine (229) Blackbura's addition to Lima; thence north to the southwest corner of said outlet number two hundred and twenty-nine (229); thence east along south of said outlet number two hundred and twenty-nine (229) and two hundred and twenty-eight (228) in said Blackbura's addition, to the southeast corner of said outlet number two hundred and

4th street to High A Avenue, thence along the west line of Hughes Avenue thence north 300 feet; thence west parallel to said 4th street to the east line of said 4th street to the southeast corner of said lot to the place of beginning at \$700.00

The undivided one half of inlet number twenty-seven hundred and thirty eight

thence south to a point  
two hundred (200) feet north of north line of  
said Elm street; thence west seventy (70)  
feet; thence south two hundred (200) feet to

All of above described Inlots  
 the city of Lima, Adams county, Ohio  
 Terms of sale: Cash

AARON FISHER  
 Sheriff, Allen County  
 Lima, Ohio, April 17, 1890

H. L. Brice, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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**PHILIP WALTHER.**For County Recorder,  
**ABRAM HARROD.**For Prosecuting Attorney,  
**J. C. BIDENOUR.**For Judiciary Director,  
**ELI MECHLING.**For Commissioner,  
**T. O. BURNS.****England's Crime Against the Boers.**

Karl Blind lets much light into the Transvaal transaction of the beginning of this year, when Jameson and his raiders undertook the conquest of a free and independent republic. Blind, as he tells us in The North American Review, was a member of the Transvaal independence committee when the last treaty between the South African Republic and Great Britain was adopted. As such he had done much to arouse the British sentiment of fair play in favor of the valorous and independent Boers, a sentiment that seems to have been utterly blotted out after it was discovered that the republic contained the world's richest gold mines.

The point to Blind's paper is that he denies in toto the right of British suzerainty over the Transvaal. He declares solemnly, and proves it, that in the treaty of 1884, the latest one, the suzerainty clause was struck out. The Boers would not have signed the treaty otherwise. They would have fought till they died and would have appealed to Europe to sustain them against England's claim. What the republic did concede was that it would conclude no treaty with any nation other than the Orange Free State "or with any native tribe to the eastward or westward of the republic without England's approval." "But this does not constitute suzerainty," says Blind, which indeed it does not.

Blind concludes further that it would be as great a crime to blot Switzerland from the list of nations as for England to forcibly take the Transvaal. He blames Cecil Rhodes for the whole trouble.

**Home News From Far.**

It was left for The Russian Novosti to find out that the reason the American congress is so interested in Cuba is that the United States wants Cuba for herself. "Spain's cause is lost," says The Novosti. "It is due to an extravagant appetite for the extension of the United States." This is news indeed. Probably the Russian newspaper judges us by its own nation and government. So far from wanting additional territory, the United States has refused to accept Hawaii when it came to us a free gift. It is true we accepted Texas when she offered herself to us after achieving her independence. But when we thought Alaska would be a good acquisition we bought it and paid \$7,000,000 for it. Louisiana, for the same reason, we bought and paid \$15,000,000 for. So far from grasping after Cuba, even if Cuba should gain her independence and should ask to be annexed to us, congress would move as follows: The house of representatives would pass a bill accepting the gift. The senate would debate on it a couple of months, long enough for each solemn old dignitary to make a speech lasting two days, then the senate would pass another bill of its own. Conferees would get together and fix another bill. That would have to be passed by both houses. It would take a couple of months more to get the amended bill through the two houses. Then it would go to the president.

The president would go duck shooting while making up his mind. He would wait till the White House children get over the measles. Then he would sleep on the matter, and sleep on it again. Then congress would adjourn, and nobody would know whether we would take Cuba or not.

**To Stop Extravagant Dressing.**

A curious society has been formed in London. It is called the Antidress league. This does not mean that its members shall not wear the usual amount of clothing at one time, but that they will not get so many new clothes at once. Fashion in dress has come to that point at which the woman who gives herself up to it has neither time, brains nor strength for anything else. The result is the reverse of pleasing, as is plainly manifest in the grotesque hats, the disfiguring gowns and sleeves affected by women of today. It makes a sort of crazy quilt impression on the artistic sense.

It is to stop this overloading and twisting and distorting, saying nothing of the money it all costs, that the Antidress league was formed by a dame of the British nobility, Lady Algernon Lennox. The members of the league pledge themselves to confine themselves to two new gowns for the fashionable season—one for evening and one for street wear. The society is very exclusive and is said to be popular with two kinds of women—on the one hand those who are so handsome that they do not need to call attention away from themselves to their dress and those who on the other hand are so homely that they are beyond the aid of dress to help them out. It will be interesting to discover whether the society can succeed in making women give up their sole and abject devotion to clothes.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston is one of the oldest military organizations in this country. It was originally founded by men who so admired the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of London that they wanted to form one as like it as might be in this new and wide country. In July the Boston Ancient and Honorable Artillery will pay a visit of friendship and ceremony to the London Ancient and Honorable Artillery. The London company will go to Liverpool to meet the Boston company, and there will be festivities uncommon. To the Americans will be allowed the special privilege of wearing their arms in the marches through the streets. The Boston men, in their brilliant uniform of scarlet and silver, will make a great impression at the banquet in London which is to be given in their honor.

**ARBOR DAY.**

Continued From Eighth Page.

Kathryn Orley  
Recitation—An April Welcome..... Julia Maxwell  
Quotation—Olive Bunce..... Ada Shreve  
William Baumgardner, Katherine Hoyer.  
Music—Spring Invitations..... The Class  
Recitation—Trees and Schools..... Beatie Schock  
Recitation—When the Green Grass Grows Back in the Trees..... Sabine Carney  
Music—Instrumental Duet—Our Boys..... Alice Herbers and Laura Simons  
Recitation—Blessings to the Tree Planter..... Virginia Mack  
Short Skit—The Overjoyed Mother..... Harry McNairy, Nell Frey and Lillian Campbell  
Music—Violin Solo—Flower Song—Larghetto..... Florence Robinson  
Recitation—Forest Trees by John W. Wilson  
Composition—Famous Trees..... Helen Smith  
Music—Lightly, My Bark..... The Class  
Recitation—Why Pauses..... Madge Mitchell  
Recitation—Piano Duet—The York Chopin..... Madge Vail and Gertrude Toy  
Short Recitations—John Duller, Bonnie Bourque, John Harley, Lon Bowers and Thomas Peat.  
Reading—Origin of Arbor Day..... Gertrude Toy  
Music—Violin Solo..... Louise Lowe  
Recitation—Plant a Tree..... Nella Ritchie  
Music—Woodman, Spare That Tree..... The Class  
Benediction..... The Class

**ON THE GROUNDS.**

Music—America (two stanzas)..... The School  
Reading of the School's Tree Planting of the Tree by Representatives of the Different Classes..... The Class  
Music—Spring Time in the Air..... The Class  
Marching to Class Tree..... The Class  
Music—Woodman, Spare That Tree..... The Class  
Planting of Class Trees by Girls of the Grammar Classes..... Nella Ritchie  
Recitation—Plant a Tree..... Nella Ritchie  
Address—Rev. Thompson  
Music—America (two stanzas)..... The School  
Benediction..... The Class  
L. H. ROGERS, Principal.

**WEST ANNE.**

(A Grammar.)

Song—Arbor Day Welcome..... School  
Scripture Reading and Invocation..... Rev. Bethards  
Piano Solo—Narcissus..... Adda Holland  
Recitation—Origin of Arbor Day..... K. G. Gifford  
Quotations..... School  
Piano Solo..... Myra Heininger  
Recitation—Forest Song..... Clyde Coleman  
Essay—Uses of Trees..... Clyde Coleman  
Song—Farmer Boy..... School  
Recitation—Longfellow's Ode to Children of Cambridge..... Edna Redlocks  
Recitation—Building of the Ship..... Bertha Graf  
Gymnastics..... School  
Recitation—Who Plants a Tree..... Edna Redlocks  
Piano Solo—Spring Song..... Mildred Townsend  
Recitation—The Ivy Green..... Carrie Neise  
Piano Solo—The Green Tree..... Mildred Townsend  
Recitation—On the Banks of Deer Creek..... Fred Mally  
Gymnastics..... School  
Song—Arbor Day..... Harry Townsend  
Tennant's..... School  
Piano Solo..... Bertha Graf  
Recitation—The Green Tree..... Mildred Townsend  
Quartet—Blue Bird Song..... Lena Sanford  
Duet—Warblers at Eve..... Adda Holland and Mildred Townsend  
America..... MARGARET HUMBLE, Teacher

LINCOLN BUILDING, SOUTH ELIZABETH STREET  
Singing—America..... School  
Scriptural reading and prayer..... School  
Roll Call—Floral Responses..... School  
Reading—Origin of Arbor Day..... Floyd Patton  
Recitation—The Heart of a Tree..... Nettie Thompson  
Recitation—Plant a Tree..... Maud Wolfe  
Essay—The Trees Indignation Meeting..... Grace Thornton  
Recitation—Forest Song..... Maud Nator  
Recitation—Lincoln's Address at Gettysburg..... Ray Berney  
Song—Arbor Day..... School  
Recitation—The Fern and the Moss..... Jennie Orr  
Essay—A Tree for the Overcast..... Anna Ryan  
Recitation—A Tree for the Overcast..... Anna Ryan  
Reading—The Voice of a Tree..... Tommy Geach  
Guy Bowdell, Carl Jacobs, Lon Edmiston, Ed Hartman, John Hendrick, Gymnastics.  
Recitation—Nature..... Ella Johnson  
Recitation—The Green Tree..... Mildred Townsend  
Recitation—Who Chose the Tree..... Bertha Graf  
Essay—Forest Hymn..... Ollie Neapier  
Recitation—The Green Tree..... Mildred Townsend  
Song—Plant the Tree, Children..... School  
Recitation—When the Green Grass Grows Back in the Trees..... Mildred Townsend  
Recitation—Bryant, the Poet of Trees..... Clara Rieser  
Recitation—Woodman, Spare That Tree..... Mildred Townsend  
Essay—Planting the Apple Trees..... Clara Rieser  
Recitation—Arbor Day..... Mary Gore, Principal.

The programs for the other buildings are in preparation, and will be published tomorrow.

**DRANK GASOLINE.**

Little Daughter of Ed. Vanatta Tries a New Drink.

About 11 o'clock this morning the little two and a half years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vanatta, of Harrison avenue, got possession of a can of gasoline and drank several swallows of the fluid before Mrs. Vanatta discovered what it was doing. Instead of becoming frightened out of her senses, Mrs. Vanatta hastily prepared an emetic which she gave the child, and this afternoon the little one is about as well as usual.

**NOW** comes the opening of the house-cleaning season. If you need any matting you can save money by buying at Feltz's. April sale now on. 23t**AMONG THE RAILROADS.****NOTES.**

Engineer I. Ballard, of the C. &amp; H. &amp; D., is laying off on account of sickness.

The Pennsylvania trainmen have been ordered to attire themselves in their summer uniforms.

Some 200 different pictures of Field Marshal Yamagata followed him across the country in the newspapers. Of fully half of them it may be truly said that each is a shade more frightful than the rest. They cover the field of human expression from a Chinese laundryman to a Hindoo fakir or a convict in an American rogues' gallery. If the distinguished Yamagata should make a collection of them and take it home for exhibition, what would the Japs think of us?

Spain has in circulation now as money nearly three times as many paper promises to pay as she has cash in her national treasury. She is in exactly the same predicament this country was in toward the close of the civil war. But there is a difference. Spain is Spain, a decrepit, dying old monarchy. We were and are the republic of the United States of America.

**IMPORTANT RULING**

Made by Secretary of State Samuel M. Taylor.

Which Concerns All Judges of Election in Lima Who Served at the Last Election.

At the election held in Lima on the first Monday in April, there were three ballots to be cast—one the general municipal ballot, one for member of school board, and one for the market house bond question. One set of judges served in each precinct and presided over the three ballot boxes.

The election laws of Ohio provide that judges of election shall receive \$3.00 per day for their services, and that the presiding judge, who makes the returns to the board of elections, shall receive \$2.00 additional.

The judges of election of certain precincts claimed that they should have separate compensation for each of the three sets of ballots cast, this aggregating \$9.00 per diem for each judge, and \$6.00 additional for each presiding judge.

When their claims were made to the board of elections they refused to allow them, on the ground that, as they interpreted the law, they were to receive a compensation of \$3.00 per day for their election services, and that the presiding judge, who made the returns, should receive but \$2.00 additional for his extra services only when the return is made to the Board of Deputy State Supervisors. This would bar the payment of the extra compensation of the presiding judge at the spring election, for the returns at that time are made to township and municipal clerks. The judges demurred to this ruling and insisted on an opinion from a higher authority than the Board of Deputy Supervisors.

The question was referred to the Secretary of State, who is the chief supervisor of elections, and he has ruled that the board of elections were right in their interpretation of the law.

The full text of his decision is as follows.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,  
COLUMBUS, O., April 17, 1896.

J. W. Mowen, Clerk Deputy State Supervisors, Lima, O.:

DEAR SIR:—I am of opinion that the enclosed bill of Walter C. Parmenter is not a proper one, as the statutes provide that they shall receive but \$3 for the election held on that day. There is no authority for paying them a per diem for the election for members of the school board, municipal officers, and for presiding over the election and making returns of a special election where a question is submitted. Where these elections all occur on the same date and are presided over by the same judges and clerks, it is in contemplation of law but one election, and they are only entitled to \$3 each for such election. There is no provision in law for paying judges and clerks for making the returns in April elections, as compensation for making such returns is only where the returns are made to the deputy state supervisors. This answers your question as to whether the board of deputy state supervisors should make out vouchers to judges making returns to township and municipal clerks.

Very respectfully yours,  
SAMUEL M. TAYLOR,  
Secretary of State.Call for Moerlein Rock, on tap at all the principal places. Finer than silk.  
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We are now offering the New Lasts, New Patterns, New Colors, Best Workmanship, Finest Leathers, Perfect Fit, Complete Assortment at the

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—AT—

**GOODING'S,**

230 North Main Street.

**Wasn't the Man.**

Last night the police were notified of the robbery of a hardware store at Wapakoneta, and requested to look out for suspects.

Later in the evening patrolman Croy arrested a tramp who had disposed of a new Smith &amp; Wesson revolver, and the marshal of Wapakoneta came here to see the prisoner this morning. He was not one of the men wanted, however, as there were no revolvers stolen in the Wapakoneta robbery.

The tramp was allowed to leave town this afternoon.

**GOOD**, heavy matting 8 cts. a yard, yard at Feltz's, during their April sale.**MUSIC HALL.**

All Week, KEDAH, the White Elephant.



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**SPECIAL SALE!**

—OF—

**Colored Dress Goods, To-Morrow.**

Choice novelties in the very latest colors and designs.

\$1.50 goods for 98c per yard.  
\$1.00 Fancy Goods for 75c per yard.  
75c Fancy Goods for 50c per yard.

A new lot of choice French Organdies now on sale.

**Wrappers and Separate Skirts**

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The Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Cloak House.



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—AND—

## "THE FADING FAD!"

PRICES:

Boxes, \$1.25; Lower Floor, \$1.00; Balcony, 50 and 75 cents; Gallery, 25 cents. Sale of Boxes opens 10 a. m. Saturday, April 18. Reserved seats open 2 p. m. on Monday, April 20, at Box Office.

### WANTED.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Apply at once. Mrs. A. Kahle, 703 West Spring street.

FOR SALE—OFFICE—A good two room office. Suitable for an office or shop of any small business. Apply to 216 East 5th street.

GENTS WANTED—For the new books "Pearl Bryan or the St. Thomas Tragedy." Great seller. Sample copy and terms. Barclay &amp; Co., 216 E. Fourth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—Man of push and ability as local manager for a life insurance investment Co. \$50 per month salary plus commissions. Must deposit \$500 security. Call on C. H. Folsom, 101 Main St., Lima, Ohio.

FINE LOTS—Only about four blocks north west of court house, in M. Welch's addition, fronting on N. Donald and Halber streets, from \$250 to \$400 each on very easy terms. Call on C. H. Folsom, 101 Main St. for particulars.

FOR SALE—HOUSE—A two-story frame house, on lot 60 feet by 100 on west side North Union street, north of North street, alley, seven rooms, three closets, good kitchen and cellar, good water, 10 barrel cistern, arched and natural gas in room. Fine fruit on lot. Enquire of Mr. Miller, 223 North West street.

### NEXT MONTH

Dr. Laudick Will Assume His Duties as Health Officer.

Dr. L. Frank Laudick, who was elected Tuesday night, by the Board of Health, to the office of Health Officer, will assume the duties of his office on the first of May.

It was stated in the Times-Democrat some time ago, Dr. Rudy was a candidate for re-election, and being no opposition to Dr. Laudick, he was elected by acclamation. The force of three sanitary officers, Sylvester Miller was the only one re-elected. Jerry Shine, a first ward Democrat, and Geo. Ackers, second ward, were elected to succeed George S. Wise and Phillip Pfaltz.

Excursion Sunday, April 26th. To Springfield, South Charles, Washington C. H., Greensfield, Bainbridge, Waverly, Ironton, Huntington and Kelleys, via the Ohio Southern railroad. Train leaves Lima at 5 a. m. Cost \$1.75 round trip, good returning April 27th.

### To the Public.

Walter P. Bloom has purchased the entire interest of Wm. Cox in the stock of lumber, buildings and personal property of The Lima Lumber and Coal Co., and will continue the business at the east end of Spring street.

W. T. Copeland, attorney, will set out all outstanding claims against the company, and he also is authorized to collect all claims due to the company.

### Ordering Your Bottle Beer

Salt Extract for family use, try it, make, and telephone to the C. H. Brewery, No. 37. The finest market.

### Association Male Quartette.

The quartette known as the "Elstedford Quartette," will sing at the Y. M. C. A. Athletic Carnival next Tuesday evening.

### Maybe W. D. Moon Can't

The Indian Clubs. See him at Y. M. C. A. Athletic Carnival, Tuesday evening, next, Faurot opera house. It is a sure thing.

The agents for the Kenton and Co. buggies. The only strictly made work sold in Lima.

A. GERMANN, Salesman, 121 W. High St.

The last Y. M. C. A. Star attraction will appear in Faurot's opera house, next Tuesday evening. Seats are now on sale at Y. M. C. A.—only 35 cents.

### COMMENCEMENT

Changed to June the 10th, and Class Day to June the 9th.

Dr. Canfield, of the O. S. U., will Deliver the Address—The Treasurer and Clerk's Bonds Approved.

The School Board met last evening at 7 o'clock in the Board of Education rooms, with the following members present: Henry Blosser, H. J. Lawlor, J. W. Brown, Jeff Morris, C. A. Metheny, S. Mumaugh, A. J. Morris, C. E. Brenner, F. N. Galerneau, R. A. Hickey, F. G. Burges, and Mrs. Vicary.

Messrs. Townsend and Herman were absent.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were presented, and on motion were ordered paid

T. N. Cunningham	\$2.40
Allyn A. Huc	15.19
Lima Natural Gas Co.	29.82
Bozard & Son	10.69
Republican-Gazette	8.75
J. N. Pangle	3.00
Geo. Neese	8.75

The clerk then read the signatures to the treasurer's bond, and on motion the bond was accepted and approved. The following were signed to the treasurer's bond: Henry Blosser, C. D. Crites, E. B. Mitchell, T. J. Mitchell, John Crumrine.

The clerk's bond was then presented, which was also accepted and approved. The following persons were on the clerk's bond: Mrs. Vicary, Mrs. J. N. Harrington and Mrs. Ira P. Carnes.

S. Mumaugh reported that the committee appointed to count the money in the treasury would not be able to make a report until the next meeting.

Mr. Blosser stated that the committee appointed to audit the books of the secretary and treasurer would report at the next meeting.

In regard to the appointment of standing committees, Mr. Lawlor said he thought all sections of the city should be represented, and moved to change the number on these committees from three, the present number, to five.

Mr. Galerneau favored the motion and Messrs. Metheny and A. J. Morris thought the smaller committee the more desirable. The motion was lost.

Upon motion the president and Supt. Miller were appointed a committee to examine the rules and report any desirable changes.

Supt. Miller reported that Arbor Day, next Friday, would be celebrated in all the schools, and invited all members to be present at the exercises.

In regard to commencement, he reported that June 12th had been decided upon as the date. But persons whom they desired to make the address on that occasion could not be

present on that date, but could be here on the 10th. He therefore recommended that class day be changed to the afternoon of June 9th and commencement the night of the 10th, and that an admission fee of ten cents be charged to defray the expense of securing the opera house, which will be \$71.20 for the two exercises.

Upon motion the date of commencement was changed as recommended by Supt. Miller and the offer of Dr. Canfield, of the Ohio State University, to deliver the commencement address, was accepted.

S. Mumaugh stated that a law had been recently enacted which required the American flag to be displayed from all school buildings on clear days and displayed in the interior of the buildings on rainy days.

His motion to instruct janitors to display the flag and for the superintendent to purchase flags for buildings not already supplied, carried.

A motion to adjourn carried.

### L. C. C. Trustees.

There will be a meeting of the board of trustees of the Lima Cycling Club at the office of Brotherton &amp; Brotherton, at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening. A full attendance is desired. C. J. BROTHERTON, Sec'y.

## BASED ON FACTS.

Argument Without Proof is Not Acceptable Evidence—We Give the Proof of Merit in

Dr. WHEELER'S NERVE VITALIZER

Symptoms to the inexperienced are very deceptive. A case in point is that of Eugene Farmer, manager of the East Saginaw Business Men's Club. In addition to sleeplessness, he had very direct symptoms of heart disease, which, together with symptoms of paralysis, no doubt caused him many anxious thoughts, especially as the doctors with whom he consulted and the various medicines he used had no effect. Fortunately he learned of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer through a friend. The result of its use can best be told in his own words, as follows:

"Through the kindness of Mr. Frantz, of Bruske's drug store, I commenced using Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer for a nervous difficulty, which the doctors were unable to cure or even understand. My trouble bore all the symptoms of nervous prostration, also that of paralysis and heart disease, manifested by palpitation and poor circulation. At times I thought I would surely collapse. I had not taken Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer very long before I was convinced it would cure me, which it certainly did after using a few bottles."

Mr. Farmer's is not an isolated case. Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer has and will cure every case of nervous trouble where used. If health has any value procure it. Life is desirable prolong it. To do either you must use Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer.

Sold by C. W. Heister.

# PRETTY FEET!

Handsome shoes make pretty feet. Beauty is no inheritance. Cultivate pretty, stylish feet by wearing properly fitted and artistic made Footwear.

You can obtain just what you want at the

# COLUMBIA SHOE STORE.

We have Shoes to fit you.  
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We have styles that are proper and customer makers for our store.

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# COLUMBIA.

Edwin C. Burt, New York, celebrated for the finest Ladies' Shoes in the world—perfect models; once a wearer of Burt's Shoes, you will wear no other, (this firm exports Ladies' Shoes to England, France, Germany and Australia.)

## Try a Pair of Burt's Button, Lace and Oxford Ties!

We open this week a special in Ladies' Tan Kid Lace Shoe, pretty, dark shade, AA to E, worth \$3.00, for \$2.50 per pair.

1000 pairs Ladies' black and tan Oxfords, ten different styles, for \$1.00.

## Gents' New Tans.

James A. Banister's Gent's Shoes, who makes finer Shoes, all the new toes and patterns.

## Special for To-day.

500 pairs Gent's Russia Calf, bals, AA to E, hand sewed welts, four different shades, worth \$4.00, to-day \$3.00.

Try us this week.

# THE COLUMBIA,

The Leading Shoe House, Lima.

# THIRTY DAYS MORE

TO CLOSE OUT

# THE ED. WISE STOCK

OF CLOTHING, HATS AND FURNISHING GOODS.

More than \$8,000 worth of goods to select from.

The goods must be sold at any price, as the cash must be realized as quickly as possible.

If you are in need of a good Black Suit, Clay Worsted or Cheviot, or a good business or working Suit, Pants, Shirts, Overalls, Hats or Underwear, now is the time to invest. DON'T MISS THE CHANCE OF A LIFE TIME.

If you have a little spare money, now is the time to buy winter Underwear, Gloves or an Overcoat at much less than wholesale cost.

# ASSIGNEE SALE OF THE ED. WISE STOCK.

LIMA HOUSE CORNER.

### FRED. FALKENBURG DEAD.

He Dies From Consumption at His Father's Home in Titusville.

Word was received here to day announcing the death of Fred. Falkenburg at Titusville, Pa.

Mr. Falkenburg was formerly in business in this city, and left here last September, going to Erie, Pa. He was taken seriously ill with consumption several weeks ago, and was removed to the home of his father in Titusville.

He leaves a wife. The funeral services will be held at Titusville to-day.

A drowning man would have little use for a method of rescue which would require days. A dyspeptic doesn't want to bother with a remedy that is going to take weeks to show its beneficial effects.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers are offering a product under the name of Shaker Digestive Cordial which yields immediate relief. The very first dose proves beneficial in most cases; and it is owing to their unbounded confidence in it, that they have put 10 cent sample bottles on the market. These can be had through any druggist; and it will repay the afflicted to invest the trifling sum necessary to make a trial.

The Shaker Digestive Cordial relieves by resting the stomach and aiding the digestion of food.

LAXOL is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

1,000 different patterns of Club House ties for ladies' shirt waists, at 25c. 3 St. MILLER &amp; JONES.

### The Only Pyramids,

Greater than the Egyptian pyramids, may be seen by attending the Y. M. C. A. Athletic Carnival in Faurot's opera house, next Tuesday evening.

The last Y. M. C. A. Star Course attraction will appear in Faurot's opera house next Tuesday evening. Seats are now on sale at Y. M. C. A.—only 35 cents.

### S. J. Dalzell Can Make

All the fun you want. See him at Y. M. C. A. Athletic Carnival, Faurot opera house, next Tuesday evening.

WE are again showing the best 50 ct. summer in this city. 2 St. FELTZ Bros. &amp; Co.

We have just received a swell line of Club House ties for ladies' shirt waists. 3 St. MILLER &amp; JONES.





The book of woman's life is divided into three parts: the first, the second, and the third. The first part is the most important, for it is the foundation of the whole. It is the book of the young girl, the book of the young woman, the book of the young mother. It is the book of the young girl who is just beginning to know herself, the book of the young woman who is just beginning to know her place in the world, the book of the young mother who is just beginning to know her duty to her child. It is the book of the young girl who is just beginning to know herself, the book of the young woman who is just beginning to know her place in the world, the book of the young mother who is just beginning to know her duty to her child.

**A Soft-Hearted Statesman.**  
The late Charles Floquet, who had been at the head of the government of the French republic in more than one ministry, was a remarkable figure in politics. His extreme benevolence was sometimes taken advantage of by his subordinates. Once, when prime minister, Floquet had signed an order for the dismissal of a functionary who did not properly perform his duties and could not be made to do so. A friend of this functionary, who had access to the minister and who knew his characteristic in this respect, said to M. Floquet about the man: "You could not do otherwise, Mr. Minister, for the man is incorrigible. But it is too bad he has eight children." "Eight children?" exclaimed Floquet. "Yes, sir. There are eight of them." M. Floquet dropped the order for the man's dismissal upon the table reflectively.

"But, Mr. Minister," said the friend, "you can hardly be governed by considerations of benevolence in such a matter." "I suppose not. But eight children! Eight children are a lot to take care of in these times." Floquet put the dismissal away in a pigeonhole and said, with an air of great severity: "Send this fellow to me tomorrow!" The next day the troublesome official came. M. Floquet gave him a scolding and said to him that he ought to be discharged, and that he certainly would be but for his eight children. This announcement was as good as an assurance of perpetuity in office to the lazy functionary, for he certainly took no step to reduce the number of his children. He did no better in his work, but held his place as long as M. Floquet was in office.—Youth's Companion.

**The Joke Was on the Boys.**  
"Assayers are the common butt in all mining camps, and, as a rule, I believe they get it in the neck" undeservedly," said a well-known mining man. "For example," said he, "you remember that story of Mark Twain's, how the boys up in Utah got hold of a chunk of a Mormon's grindstone and worked it off on the camp assayer? He got an assay of \$800 to the ton in silver out of that grindstone, and the boys ran him out of camp. That was a true story, and yet, after these many years, let me tell you that assayer was all right. You see, in the early days the Mormons used to cut their grindstones out of what afterward was known the world over as Silver Cliff. That cliff was a sand carbonate, and eventually it was discovered to be one of the most wonderful deposits of silver ore the world has ever known. But that was too late to help the poor devil of an assayer who sampled the grindstone."—Arizona Republican.

**Two Lives Saved.**  
Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Mo., was told by her doctors that she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which there are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at Melville's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

**Have You Had the Grip?**  
If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. H. F. Vorkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North sts.

## HE LENT SOME MONEY.

Baron de Hirsch's Death May Cause Humiliation.

### ONE COURT IS TREMBLING.

The Notable "Kept Up Appearances" on the Baron's Money, and if They Are Called Upon to Settle They Will Be Bankrupt.

LONDON, April 23.—The newspapers here are full of accounts of the life and death of Baron de Hirsch, the distinguished Hebrew philanthropist, telling of the loss which his death will be to charities, the turf and especially to royalty, to members of which, it has long been common gossip, he lent vast sums of money, matters which are much discussed in the clubs, etc.

The Chronicle publishes a memoir written by some one who was evidently intimate with Baron de Hirsch and who is believed to be his secretary. This writer says that the death of the baron may make complications in at least one European court if the executors are obdurate in collecting money lent.

It appears that the baron received some 400 begging letters daily, many of them from English people who will shrink to see them published. The tragedy of Baron de Hirsch's life was the death of his son. Almost as soon as he was born, he was afflicted with the habits of the comfortable classes and was bitterly satirical in regard to the indulgences of the idle rich.

Baron de Hirsch, it is asserted, never entered a synagogue after his marriage, but he was racially proud of being a Hebrew.

**Died of Apoplexy.**

BUDAPEST, April 23.—An autopsy has been held upon the body of Baron de Hirsch which proved that his death was due to apoplexy.

### WILL BE VERY BRIEF.

Pennsylvania's Platform Will Not Go Into Unnecessary Details.

HARRISBURG, April 23.—The platform which will be adopted by the state convention will probably be the briefest document of a similar character ever presented to a Pennsylvania Republican convention. Its most interesting plank, aside from the hearty endorsement it gives to Senator Quay's candidacy for the presidency, will be an unqualified declaration for a sound money gold standard.

The tariff plank will recite Senator Quay's efforts in behalf of protection and his active participation in the passage of what is known as the McKinley law. The encouragement of American ship building will be advocated and the restriction of immigration favored. The subjects of pensions, ship canals and reciprocity are also touched upon, and the reform bills prepared by the committee appointed for that purpose are heartily endorsed.

### Claims of Foster Men.

NEW ORLEANS, April 23.—The latest returns cause the Foster Democrats to claim that they have carried the state by from 20,000 to 25,000 majority, although Pharr's managers in this city claim the state by a small majority. The great Democratic loss from 70,000 majority in 1892 to a very small majority, even if they are not defeated, is attributed to the sugar planters.

### In McKinley's Old District.

ALLIANCE, O., April 23.—The Republicans of the Eighteenth Ohio (McKinley's old congressional district) renominated R. W. Taylor for Lisbon for congress. W. L. Smith of East Liverpool and O. B. Wick of Youngstown were chosen delegates to the St. Louis convention. McKinley was endorsed for president and his name was wildly cheered.

### The Government Attacked.

ROME, April 23.—The Tribuna, commenting upon the rupture of the peace negotiations between Abyssinia and Italy, violently attacks the government, declaring the ministers to be responsible for the "dishonor suffered by Italy through King Menelik's haughty attitude."

### ON THE DIAMOND.

The Great National Game as Played Yesterday—Standing.

AT ST. LOUIS.—R. H. E. St. Louis 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 4 6 5  
Chicago 0 0 1 1 3 0 0 0 0 14 0  
Batteries—Parrott, McDougal and McFarland; Field and Donahoe. Umpire—Sheridan.

AT PITTSBURGH.—R. H. E. Pittsburgh 3 1 0 2 1 0 0 0 7 9 4  
Louisville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 7 5  
Batteries—Killen and Sargent; Clausen and Warner. Umpire—Weidman.

AT CINCINNATI.—R. H. E. Cincinnati 0 0 2 0 1 0 3 1 0 7 9 4  
Cleveland 3 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 8 5  
Batteries—Dyer and Vaughn; Cuddy and O'Connor. Umpire—Emslie.

AT WASHINGTON.—R. H. E. Washington 0 0 2 0 2 4 0 0 8 14 0  
Brooklyn 3 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 12 10 5  
Called on account of darkness.

Batteries—J. new and McGuire; Harper and Grim. Umpire—Keefe.

AT BALTIMORE.—R. H. E. Baltimore 1 0 2 1 3 0 0 2 4 10 4  
Boston 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 5 3  
Batteries—P and Robinson; Dolan and Gannell. Umpire—Lynch and Henderson.

AT NEW YORK.—R. H. E. New York 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 3 5 5  
Philadelphia 0 0 3 0 2 0 0 1 14 12 2  
Batteries—Ecklin, Seymour and Wilson; Taylor and Grant. Umpire—Hart.

AT KANSAS CITY.—R. H. E. Kansas City 10; Minnesota 7.

AT MILWAUKEE.—Milwaukee, 5; St. Paul, 6.

AT INDIANAPOLIS.—Indianapolis, 4; Detroit, 6.

AT COLUMBUS.—Columbus, 14; Grand Rapids, 4.

**Turf Winners.**

At Newport, Ky.—Riverdale Park, Winoso, Basso, Cashier, Jake Zimmerman, Captain Dream.

At Piquette, Ind.—Tramp, Pot Malloy, Bert, Weola, John Hickley, Gordon's Pot.

At Memphis—Boggo, Katherine, Algot, Marco, Galile, S. more.

At Washington—Buckner, Budding, Sopot, Clarus, Y at Bonnet.

**Weather Indications.**

For West Virginia and Ohio—Fair; warmer; fresh and brisk southeasterly winds.

For Indiana—Increasing cloudiness with warmer southerly winds, probably followed by showers.



## THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE

Is SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR—Don't forget to take it. The Liver gets sluggish during the winter, just like all nature, and the system becomes choked up by the accumulated waste, which brings on Malaria, Fever and Ague and Rheumatism. You want to wake up your Liver now, but be sure you take SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR to do it. It also regulates the Liver—keeps it properly at work, when your system will be free from poison and the whole body invigorated.

You get THE BEST BLOOD when your system is in A1 condition, and that will only be when the Liver is kept active. Try a Liver Remedy once and note the difference. But take only SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR—it is SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR which makes the difference. Take it in powder or in liquid already prepared, or make a tea of the powder; but take SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR. You'll find the RED Z on every package. Look for it.

J. H. Zeilin & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

### SMOKELESS POWDER.

Its Advantages and Disadvantages For the Sportsman Described.

According to a Sportsman's Review writer, smokeless powder is confusingly varying. If the rifle is used on a warm day, it shoots with smokeless powder with flat trajectory and great penetration, but on a cold day it seems to be frozen stiff and shoots differently, taking a high trajectory and giving less penetration, and so the smokeless powder user would do well to take a thermometer along marked with the variation of inches in the trajectory. The smokeless powder would be worth the trouble, evidently, because "the bullet fired by 80 grains of the smokeless tore a third larger hole than the bullet fired by 75 grains of black powder." That means that a deer shot in the punch with a 45 caliber bullet driven by smokeless would die in half the time that one shot with a black powder driven bullet would, because the shock is so much greater with the swifter smokeless ball, which literally flies to pieces.

Another thing about the smokeless powder is not inconsiderable.

"It was as good a hold as ever I made," the experimenter writes, "and the antelope wilted in his tracks. The band bunched up and ran in a semicircle at about the same distance (125 yards) from me, and I got in two more smokeless shots, and then by mistake one of black powder. I knew the latter immediately, for on firing it the 200 animals disappeared in a cloud of smoke that only dissipated as the tail end of the lot bobbed over the hill crest. I had killed every one that I shot at." With all smokeless powder shells, he would have got two more shots anyhow.

In the woods more so than on the plains the smoke of a gun is distressing, especially when the game is on the hunting jump. More than one man has jumped sideways after each shot to get another because of the smoke. A boy using a 45-70 rifle at a deer on an Adirondack runway jumped down a 10 foot bank, striking in waist deep water, that he might get another shot at the deer. The last shot killed the deer as it landed on a rock ready for a leap into thick brush. It was a still day, with no wind, and the five shots fired left a cloud of smoke in the air for 15 minutes after.

### An Affidavit.

This is to certify that on May 11th, I walked to Melick's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflammatory rheumatism, which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.—Charles H. Wetzel, Sanbury, Pa.

Sworn and subscribed to before me on August 10, 1894.—Walter Shipman, J. P.

For sale at 50 cents per bottle by Melville Bros., corner Main and High streets and O. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

### Law Tickets Were Used.

Miss Prim—You didn't bring your little girls to the Sunday school entertainment.

Mrs. Fussy—No, I didn't dare to. There's so much measles and scarlet fever around, you know. But the tickets were not wasted.

"No!" I gave them to the little boy next door."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Here is an excellent method of removing grease spots from waxed floors: Four spirits of turpentine on the spot and give it time to soak into the wood. Then cover with powdered talc and press with a warm but not very hot iron. The talc will absorb the grease. Brush off and polish the place anew with wax.

### The Baby's Colic Cure.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O.—"Our little boy when three weeks old was troubled with severe attacks of wind colic. Our druggist recommended Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. We used it until baby was eight months old. The effect from the start was magical, giving instant relief and no bad effects. I recommend it with pleasure to every mother in the land. Mrs. O. W. Cramer." Dr. Hand's Remedies for children sold by all druggists.

### TEN WITNESSES EXAMINED.

Trial of Scott Jackson Is Not of the Usual Heated Variety.

CINCINNATI, April 23.—At the trial of Scott Jackson, charged with murdering Pearl Bryan, six witnesses were examined in the forenoon and four in the afternoon. The purpose of the examination in the forenoon was to establish the identity of the headless body found near Fort Thomas as that of Pearl Bryan and to prove that she was murdered at the very spot where the body was found.

The identity of the body was strikingly proven by the abundant evidence that the bloody check dress was Pearl Bryan's; also the shoes, the stockings, the hat and the bloodstained underwear.

Expert testimony of Coroner Tingley, Surgeons Carothers and J. O. Jenkins, was introduced to prove by the condition of the body as they found it at the scene of the murder and at the post mortem that the killing was done just where the body was found, and that the health of the victim was perfect.

Coroner W. F. Tingley was recalled. A lay figure dressed in the clothing found on Pearl Bryan's body was brought into court, but the bloody dress presented such a horrible appearance that the objection of the defense was sustained. Then Coroner Tingley identified each article as the one on Pearl Bryan's body when found near Fort Thomas. The gashes and blood stains were also identified as being in the clothing then.

Mrs. Stanley, the sister of Pearl Bryan, a milliner, testified to the hat and other articles having been secured by Pearl at their store. She identified each article of clothing and stated that she was with Pearl when she bought the shoes. The bloody dress was one Mrs. Stanley had made. One of the three handkerchiefs found with Jackson's castaway clothing had been given Pearl by Mrs. Stanley last Christmas. Mrs. Stanley identified the valise, also a gold necklace. She finally broke down as these articles were held up before her for identification and there was quite a scene in court. Mrs. Stanley looked directly at Jackson and identified him.

Following Mrs. Stanley several witnesses were called to prove the appearance of the body when found, the evidences of struggle, the blood spurs on the bushes, the amount of blood on the ground, etc. Then Dr. Carothers, who made the post-mortem examination, gave his testimony as already given before the coroner.

A peculiar feature developed in the policy of the defense to not cross-examine witnesses. The only suggestion of an explanation of this policy is that the defense of insanity is to be set up.

When the figure with the bloody dress of the murdered girl on it was brought into court in the morning a contagious shudder which was all but audible passed from the jury across the courtroom. Well it was that the figure was removed. It was too violently suggestive of a headless girl. The dress, however, was allowed to remain on a table, in companionship with other blood-stained garments and belongings of Pearl Bryan, the victim.

In the afternoon the defense began to cross-examine witnesses. It then became apparent that the defense, by its failure to cross-examine in the forenoon, virtually admitted that the dead body in question was that of Pearl Bryan. Cross-examination in the afternoon indicated two lines of defense, one that the body was killed by some drug several hours before it was beheaded where it was found; also that all confessions of Jackson were made under duress, were not voluntary and will be incompetent as evidence.

The attack was made fiercely against Jackson during the afternoon. Dr. R. J. Gillespie of Greencastle testified that about Jan. 1 Jackson admitted to him that he was illicitly intimate with Pearl Bryan and she was in trouble. He asked Gillespie's advice and was told to marry Pearl. He then positively refused to do so. Mayor Caldwell of Cincinnati was on the stand to testify to confessions by Jackson already reported.

Dr. Gillespie then was required to identify seven different letters as written by Jackson, which he did, and to each of which the defense objected and was after overruled. Some of these letters are Dr. Gillespie. What their contents are will not be known until they are used in evidence.

The new points in Mayor Caldwell's testimony was that Jackson, when arrested, was first brought privately before him and was shown the telegraphic order to arrest him for the murder of Pearl Bryan. Jackson exclaimed: "Oh, my God, what will my poor mother do?" He then walked the floor and asked: "What shall I do?" "Tell the whole truth," said the mayor. The mayor said he told both Walling and Jackson that they were not compelled to answer question.

### The Post Believed.

THE HAGUE, April 23.—An official dispatch from Batavia says the endangered Dutch post in the Atchin territory has been relieved after a fight with the rebels under Tookoed Johann, who lost 70 killed and had 200 wounded. The Dutch loss was one officer wounded and 35 killed or wounded.

### Repudiated the Rates.

CHICAGO, April 23.—Trouble has broken out again among the southeastern roads regarding the rates on freight to Gulf ports. The Missouri Pacific has repudiated the finding of Arbitrators Faithorn and Howe in the cases recently submitted to them.

### Alleged Embroider Arrested.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Albert Cope, who is accused of taking \$7,000 of the funds of the Baring Creek Mining company, with headquarters at Belize, British Honduras, is in custody here. Cope is said to have absconded from Honduras on Jan. 15.

### Killed His Sister.

CLARINDA, Ia., April 23.—At Shenandoah, while asleep, Mrs. Mary C. Johnson was shot dead by her brother, E. L. Jagger. He then attempted suicide and will die. They were together in the undertaking business. He was without doubt insane.

Again Postponed.

St. Paul, April 23.—The sale of the Duluth and Winnipeg railroad under foreclosure, set for Wednesday, has again been postponed, this time until April 29.

# A FARM GIVEN AWAY

Consisting of one sheet of FARM BUILDINGS and one sheet of 75 Subjects, DOMESTIC ANIMALS, etc. These are to please the children. The Farm House and Animals can be cut out and made to stand, thus making a complete miniature Farm Yard.

## 3 Ways to Get This Farm:

Send 6 Coupons; or 1 Coupon and 6 Cents; or 10 Cents without any Coupon, to

BLACKWELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO CO., DURHAM, N. C., and the Farm will be sent you POSTPAID. You will find one Coupon inside each 2 ounce bag, and two Coupons inside each 4 ounce bag of

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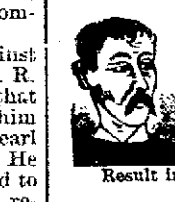
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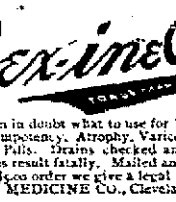
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### Legal Notice.

A. B. Coo, residing in Chattanooga, in the State of Tennessee, will take notice that on the 21st day of April, 1896, Freeman and Shaw, a partnership, filed their petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, case number 250, against him, praying for judgment for One Hundred and Thirteen and 25/100 Dollars on a note with interest at eight per cent. from July 17th, 1885, and for an order of attachment.

The writ of attachment was duly issued against said party on the same day, seeking for the sale of the undivided one-half interest in two 32 acres of land in the 24th half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-six (36), township three (3) south of range six (6) east in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio. That said A. B. Coo is required to answer on or before the 12th day of June, 1896, or decree will be taken against him.

Freeman and Shaw, Plaintiffs.  
Mottet & Beck, Attorneys. 42 at th  
Lima, Ohio, April 22, 1896.

### Notice of Sale of Desperate Claims.

The undersigned, assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Randall & Black, will sell at public auction at the east door of the court house in Lima, on the 5th day of April, 1896, various notes and accounts belonging to said estate, amounting to about the sum of \$600.00.

Sale to commence at 9 o'clock a. m. of said day.

Terms of sale—Cash.

JOHN M. BOOSK, Assignee.  
April 17th, 1896.  
D. C. Henderson, attorney for assignee. 4 18-10

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### Notice of Dissolution.

This is to certify that the partnership heretofore existing between J. E. DeLoe and Charles DeLoe, under the style and name of DeLoe Bros., has this day dissolved. Charles DeLoe, having retired, J. E. DeLoe will continue the business, and will continue to receive all the profits and losses and receive all the orders and receipts of the business. J. E. DeLoe.







